

## Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 BEIRUT 05412 111653 Z

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ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 /026 W

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P 111640 Z MAY 73

FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2082

S E C R E T BEIRUT 5412

EXDIS

EO 11652: XGDS

TAGS: PINS PFOR LE

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM SECY TO PRESIDENT FRANGIE

MANY THANKS FOR MESSAGE WHICH PASSED TODAY MAY 11 TO  
FRANGIE THROUGH NEGIB SADAQA, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE  
FOREIGN OFFICE. SADAQA IS CONFIDENT OF PRESIDENT AND  
PRESIDENT INFORMED US PREVIOUSLY THAT IF WE EVER  
HAD MESSAGES TO PASS TO HIM SADAQA WAS AN EMINENTLY  
ACCEPTABLE CONDUIT. IN PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES  
I DID NOT THINK IT WAS POLITICALLY WISE FOR ME TO CALL  
ON PRESIDENT. SADAQA AGREED AND WAS EXTREMELY PLEASED  
WITH MESSAGE.  
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\*\*\* Current Handling Restrictions \*\*\* EXDIS

\*\*\* Current Classification \*\*\* SECRET

## Message Attributes

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SS  
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